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Maiden, though you do not ask it,
And your modest eyes may wink,
I will fell you what I think:
Ouenes might gladly bear your basket
If they could appear as true
And as good and sweet as you.
-Charles H. Crandall, in February
Nicholas.

#### ONLY A TRAMP.

He was doubtless a tramp. His worn and dirty dress, his crushed felt hat, his dirty shoes, and the checkered muslin shirt, tied at the neck with a bit of stout stick, told the story plainly. Added to this was the beard of a week's growth, except the mustache, which low for all that, with a keen eye, an are, and he strode along as though he

and bundle, and made a leap in the horse, with the long reins flapping about his feet, and the wagon behind him swaying from side to side. The tion again, friend Paul," he said. they sat, had been frantically crying to their thanks.

"Bob is not vicious," said the man, with. whose language and dress showed him to belong to the Society of Friends, but two geese flew across the road, run. I'm obliged to thee, for if thee

"Stay friend," cried the

The tramp nodded, and turned to go, when the woman spoke. "Friend." she said. "thee has split

thy coat up the back." Have I ?" returned the tramp eeling for the rent. "So I have. I just get it mended somewhere." "As thee did it helping us-" said

noney for stopping horses; but I thank ou for your intention."

don't know thy name," said the wo-

"Well, friend Paul, does thee see hat white house among the trees, off and Naomi Stacy, sent thee, and ask liminary hems, spoke his mind. her to sew thy coat for thee. She'll

make it passable at least. "Thank you, ma'm; I'll do so."

The tramp removed his battered felt nat, made a bow rather more courtly than might have been expected, and

next minute a pretty young girl, with an expert mower." her hair flying over her shoulders, ran whether it was not a confederate.

Paul.

one to whom Paul advanced was of the | we'll not differ on that." baser order, brawny, whisky-sadden, and brutal.

this young lady ?" big tramp, grinning. "The gal gave hay." me a lunch, an' I wanted to sweeten So J

off his coat and threw it on the pailings | though it were the funniest thing pos- begun. If Rachel married Absalom of the lane fence. "Now," said he, quietly, "you'll

full force between the eyes of the down-cast mood. John watched Rachel's the finest olive-colored broadcloth, and full force between the eyes of the down-cast mood. John watched Racher's life lines to the down-cast mood. John watched Racher's life lines to the down-cast mood. John watched Racher's life lines to the down-cast mood. John watched Racher's life lines to the down-cast mood. John watched Racher's life lines to lines of the town nearest the end of the town nearest the end of the town nearest the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track. The chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest until the nas no right?" demanded track the chief engineer of the contest He was up in an instant, to go down about gracefully, and then took a book beaver. He remained to supper, and Naomi, severely. again by another facer. Picking himself up, he made a rush with both arms

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which stood upon the shelf, and began
by the farmer and his wife. Rachel

there is more of it. I am John Paul again by another racel. To stage and self-up a reading. Mahlon smiled grimly.

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rextended toward his opponent. It was "If thee likes to read," he said, seemed to be a little embarrassed. John Frobisher."

"Frobisher." extended toward his opponent. It was impossible to parry this, and it was not "there's 'No Cross, No Crown,' and glanced at her a little curiously, but there's 'No Cross, No Crown,' and she avoided his eye. The hired man attempted. Paul stepped suddenly aside, and before his antagonist could recover himself, caught him on the throat with that Rachel delights in. But it can do himself, caught him on the throat with that Rachel delights in. But it can do his right arm, and suddenly bending him over his own extended knee, threw though."

I am; or rather was, the holder of attended to the horses and cattle, and, this done, came into the house. It was usual for the family to sit together for a paper from his breast pocket and on handing it to Naomi "I have been been and the state of the state o the great mass of flesh to the ground with a force that made quite an audible

inute or so motionless "Thee hasn't killed him?" timidly

makes him sick of fighting. Come, sir, get up," he added, as the man began to stir; pick yourself up and go, or I'll give you more of it, and worse."

"I'm goin'," said the other, rising dowly and rubbing his back—"I'm goin', boss. But I say you ain't a man; u're a steam-ingine, you are.'

As soon as the fellow had dragged mself out of sight, John Paul took nis coat, and finding on inquiry that her, at her request, to the house, where he seated himself on the back veranda, while Rachel, coat in hand, disappeared in the kitchen.

In a few minutes she came out. "There is thy coat, friend, as good as new; it was ripped in the seam, not Rachel's father was 'Piscopal, and Rachel goes there. Then there's the rusty black ribbon, and the little bundle torn, and—Oh dear! There is that Methodists and Presbyterians. borne on his shoulder from the end of a vexatious Crumple in the garden

again. Paul looked, and saw that a cow had got into an enclosure not meant for had not been touched by a razor. He browsing ground, and volunteered to get her out. It did not prove an easy get her out. It did not prove an easy job, however, and by the time he had open countenance, and a well-knit fig- managed to overcome her dodges and Presently he threw down his stick telling them all about the fight. As he beaming countenance.

"Thee has placed me under obligaoccupants of the wagon, a couple as hear thee was obliged to resort to force. old-fashioned as the carry-all in which It is against the principles of Friends, but since thee had to do it, I am glad the horse to stop, and now that some to learn thee did it well. A big man, one had stopped him, were profuse in too, for I think the one we met with

and before I knew it he had jerked the have been of service to the young lady.

"Stay friend," cried the farmer. hadn't caught him, he might have hadn't caught him, he might have compensation for their horse with one less in. John spilled us over the high bank below thy service, thee'll at least grant us smiled to himself. The aunt favored nother favor, and take supper with

The young man hesitated, but glanc-

kept his eyes open while he was tramp-

from the road back yonder? Thee go Paul sat on the veranda while the there, and say to Rachel—that's our woman-folk were clearing the table, The cause of this trouble neice-that her uncle and aunt, Mahlon and the former, after two or three pre-

"Thee was looking for work, perhaps,

"No, I can't say that I was." "Thee would take a job if thee could

get one, maybe?" "That depends on what it is."

"What do you mean by frightening his young lady?"

"Take it easy, pard," rejoined the light tramp, grinning. "The gal gave light tramp, grinning. "The gal gave light tramp, grinning." "The gal gave light tramp, grinning."

the victuals with a kiss. There's no Stacy, or, as he put it to himself that bones broke."

Stacy, or, as he put it to himself that night, "I'm hired to Rachel's uncle," hands—a rich New Yorker held it— "Why, Rachel!" or "Why, R

days, but John, as they all called him culty. "They say that Rachel hangs "When I get good an' ready," ansnow, remained. He evidently knew back," concluded the clerk. "I rayther support a wife?" inquired Naomi, with very little about farming, but took guess she'll give in at last. That's the a last flutter of expiring loyalty to Ab-"No, sir—now."

"Ha! ha! Suppose you spell able. to you see that?" and he thrust his wouledge of horses, their needs and judgment."

"There need is also further of exceptions way Mahlon'll pull through, in my salom Browning. Do you see that?" and he thrust his sifed with his raw hand. The fourth day it rained so that out-door work was

It was dashed aside suddenly and a side suddenly and so that out-door work was a suddenly and suddenly and so that out-door work was a suddenly and suddenly and so that out-door work was a suddenly and sudden It was dashed aside suddenly, and the right hand of John Paul fell with the kitchen, the farmer in a rather sure, but his shad-bellied coat was of Paul."

When you asked my name I just said—John the kitchen, the farmer in a rather sure, but his shad-bellied coat was of Paul."

It was Hood's poems. instance.

with feeling and force. "Thee reads remarkably well, John, said Mahlon.

"Poor creature!" said Naomi. She referred to the heroine, and not to Rachel said nothing, but her eves

were full of tears. On Saturday John got two hours' leave of absence, and returned with a bundle, which he carried to his room. the girl's name was Rachel, gave her The next day he came down to break-the message of her aunt. He followed fast in a new light suit. Mahlon made place of worship, or would he stay at "We go to meeting, of course Rachel goes there. Then there's the

> "I shall go to the Episcopal church, said John. "Ah! Well, we drop Rachel at the ross-road always, and thee can get out

So John walked from the getting-ou place to the church, which was a mis sionary chapel, where the rector of an manœuvres, and finally got the brute adjoining parish gave a service every felt that the wandering idler was really safely into the barn-yard, he saw the alternate Sunday. There were few atthe king of other men, and tramping a farmer and his wife driving in, and tendants, and the coming of a fineknew from her manner that Rachel was looking young man made a sensation When service was over, however, and came forward to reclaim his mended they all came out, some one whispered road, just in time to stop a runaway coat, Mahlon Stacy met him with a that the new comer was "Mahlon her effort to withdraw it, "it is every-Stacy's hired man," and the sensation

Absalom Browning was waiting i his buggy. "Shall I drive thee home, Rachel?"

he asked. "Thank thee, no, Absalom, I cam in the carry-all with uncle and aunt, blood on his face was the one thee dealt and they'll stop for me at the corner.

Absalom walked alongside, however leading his horse and talking to Rachel, him, sir. The matter is not worth and John fell behind. When they came speaking of. I am only too glad to to the corner, Mahlon and his wife were already there, and Absalom renewed his request. Rachel made no through with." demur, for Naomi said it would relieve the courting.

The summer months came and went Absalom Browning came and went ing at the woman, said: "I—I am not in a fit condition for the table; I—" John Paul remained on the farm. He John Paul remained on the farm. He grew to be a favorite, and his activity ford, who has the business in hand." the other end of the room. The little ford, who has the business in hand." 'If that's all," eagerly rejoined grew to be a favorite, and his activity Mahlon, "we can arrange that. Come and physical strength, with his great with me." And the young man was good-nature, made him popular with ford? So! In that case make your- with which the feast was pronounced speedily ushered into a chamber, where the young men around. Absalom did self perfectly easy. I can arrange all the man, putting his hand in his pocket.

"I bar that," said the tramp, raising ticulars about the encounter, in which, his hand, and showing with his laugh like many men of peaceful habits, he a set of white teeth. "I don't take took a deep interest. Then he read so beautifully, and w Then he read so beautifully, and was At the supper table, John Paul, in full of tales of adventure, for, accorda for your intention." - evading minute inquiry, let them know ing to his own account, he had traveled that he lived in New York when at a great deal. In his wanderings he that he nived in New York when at a great deal. In his wanderings he home, and gave them some account of the motropolis, of which they had heard, but never seen, and did it in a plain and lucid way that showed he hoose."

The must be out of thy mind, the altar, opposite the now crouching departure. At last the warning sign is found in the kitchen or servant's room as leaked out bit by bit, and he bade fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the fair to make a good farmer, so the plain and lucid way that showed he fair to make a good farmer, so the fair to make a good farmer, so the know thy habits, I should say thee been were killed in Oregon by the premature whose spirits had been getting lower drinking." and lower, at length grew quite gloomy, After supper Mahlon Stacy and John and his gloom was shared by his wife,

The cause of this trouble John Paul clerk at the store where the Stacys' dealt, and with it he got some of the office in good time. You'll have an family history. It appeared that Rachel Taylor, the younger sister of Mahlon's without further words he went out, wife, had eloped and married with harnessed the horse and drove to the they were relieved by others. At the Gordon Forsyth, a gay and wealthy young gentleman from New York, who ment. When he came back the farmer the great figure by the altar would start the parties pursued their several ways.

A brisk two minutes' walk brought

John Paul to the lane leading from the
road to the Stacy farm-house. Down

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A smile broke over the young man's own the dame back the farment of the was still in the house, with Naomi and the still in the house, with Nao this lane he turned, and when half way when I—when I was on a farm for a who was on the downward course, soon with an expression made up of hope in it, heard a woman scream. The month in the hay season; but I'm not got tired of his pretty wife, resumed his and suspicion of John's sanity. dissipation, and was drowned while At noon next day John quietly hitched "That might come by practice," re- drunk two years afterward, leaving his up the horse again, and without asking out of the house, pursued by a great burly, rough fellow, who stopped when burly rough fellow rou the other tramp coming. The was all made; and when I met thee I her husband, who proved to have been This was hours before the mail was due, But I learned later that this was a trial the lower side of it and piled up above are thirty persons employed in the was all made; and when I met thee I her husband, who proved to have been the was going after some one to take his between, stopped also, in doubt whether it was not a confederate.

"Anything wrong?" inquired John when I met thee I her husband, who proved to have been I his was nours before the mail was due, and John had on his Sunday clothes, to. He did not get based until supper series of preparations which he had to give thee fair wages."

"Anything wrong?" inquired John girl kept on, but when she observed the was going after some one to take his at his death bankrupt. He had man- and John had on his Sunday clothes, whether it was not a confederate.

"Anything wrong?" inquired John
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"Well, sir, it is new business for me;
"Well, sir, it is new business for me;
"That—that man!" gasped the girl.
"There be tramps, and tramps." The one to whom Paul advanced was of the one to whom Paul advanced was

sible.

Browning, who was rich himself and a tinctly audible, her face being so close rich man's son, there would be no diffitory and the properties of the

I've given his backbone a jar that that no one there had heard—read it looking out on the night, and thinking. sufficiently to seed in the journey, and In a little while Absalom Browning left, and he heard the wheels of his This face of Rachel's attracted me, and vagon driven after the fashion of Jehu, she's the captive of my bow and spear, the son of Nimshi. Then he heard the anyhow. I won her by fair fight, light step of Rachel on the stairs on her way to rest.

Said he, laughing.

They all 'sat down to the supper

Rachel distressed. John ate his meal how under the tablecloth, responded fast in a new light suit. Mahlon made silently, and then went to the field with with a fervent "Amen!" no comments, but after breakfast asked Mahlon. But he soon made an excuse John if he would go with them to to return to the house. Rachel was Friends' meeting, or to some other alone there, seated with her face buried thoughts that she did not hear him

"What is the trouble, Rachel?" he The girl started up, and the blood ushed to her face, but she made no

"Is it to be a wedding?" he con

"John Paul, thee's-thee's-

"Or did you send Absalom B. about s business last night ?" What is that to thee, John? Uncle s displeased with me, and aunt is sorry,

"Rachel" said he, taking her tremoling hand, and retaining it in spite of the opposite end. With many a hasty heads, faces, ears, and necks. thing to me, for I love you dearly."

The eyes of the girl filled with a long time, controlled by his direcsudden light. "Thee! thee love-

John read the answer to his question efore he put it, and drew the sobbing Rachel to his breast.

How long they stood there neither ould tell, but at the sound of Mahlon chant, or ritual, over eight or ten nearly Stacy's heavy step on the veranda.

"Let that pass for a moment, Mr. was uttered over them by an old priest, Stacy. I have something to say. Who holds now the mortgage on the farm ?" rows and a war-club, and who wore

"Why does thee ask?" "From no idle curiosity. What is buckskin ornamented with sea-shells his name and where does he live ?" "His name is Frobisher, and he lives "Woodford! Not Charles Wood-

"Is thee serious, John Paul? Does thee ?"

"Why not? He never refused me anything I wanted yet, from the time we went to the same school." rattles in hand, around an immense we went to the same school." Man after man will come and go without giving any reason for his abrupt onto the same will come and go without giving any reason for his abrupt onto the same school."

"The man you speak of is worth

tackle the south field to-morrow," ex- to the West Town school to be edu- can have all the time I want. Thee

So John took service with Mahlon but was unable to meet the interest for "Suppose you let me take care of this of the Old Year. Descending, he pro- the snow, while skees pursue an inde-"Why, Rachel!" cried Mahlon, in John Paul's face reddened. He took and he laughed at the same time as and proceedings to foreclose had been astonishment. "Does thee and John—"

But Rachel's answer was not dis-"Has thee thought about means to

"And has thee been using a name

"Frobisher!" exclaimed Mahlon, as

It was Hood's poems.

'Some of this is by no means funny," it in the family to sit together for a paper from his breast pocket and handing it to Naomi. "I have been to West Chester and made an assignsound. The ruffian lay there for a said John, "the Bridge of Sighs," for reation from daily labor. But the old ment to your wife. I hope she'll be a instance."

"I don't remember. Will thee read also, leaving the younger couple tosee, I had been taking a pedestrian nquired the girl.

"No, miss," said John Paul, "but John read the poem, and in a way John sat at the window in the dark, you came across me just as I had run keep in mourning for twenty moons.

"An Indian's widow is expected to John read the poem, and in a way John sat at the window in the dark, you came across me just as I had run keep in mourning for twenty moons.

was about to take the cars for home.

Toward midnight, my "brother and sacred house of Zuni, the twelve meet, and that, as he was a priest of entire night.

As we entered the closely crowded, spacious room into which the first was being cleared lengthwise through admonition, the Governor placed me who held in his hands a bow, some arover one shoulder a strange badge of and flint arrow-heads. He was followed by the Priest of the Sun, from victuals, waving his torch over them,

Many of the dishes were placed before thee think Frobisher would do it for singers whose nearly nude bodies were bind to warn his successors. It often Herald reporter, at \$15 per week, who daubs of white. They were gathered, Thee must be out of thy mind, the altar, opposite the now crouching departure. At last the warning sign is it is not surprising that its manager has a constant of the food warning sign is about the constant of the food warning sign is about the constant of the food warning sign is about the constant of the food warning sign is about the constant of the food warning sign is about the constant of the constant of

The singers then drawing closely round the drum, facing one another, more than you say, in estate, but he'll struck up a loud chant, which, accomgive you all the time you need. Let me see. It is nearly night. The mail tles, filled the whole apartment with a bank of the river and heard them talkearned one day from the talkative closes at ten. I have time to write a reverberating din, to me almost unenletter, hitch up and get to the post- durable. Two by two the dancers

cost the same—fifty cents. Thus the staves is apt to result in a decisive crops, with 200 to 300 pounds of fertilicost the same—mity cents. Thus the same—mity cents, thus the workmen pay as much for their drink as the company for one of the important elements of railway construction.—E. citing these contests are, not only to the contest of the

who pays twenty-five cents to hear him

#### CHINESE TRAITS.

Mr. E. V. Smalley's paper in the February on "Features of the New North-

of San Francisco maltreated the Asiatic immigrants shamefully, but that time ighth and ninth grades will be dismissed in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. has gone by. Now the Chinaman ap- It is also ordered that at 10.15 in the pears to be as secure in his rights of person and property as anybody. Instead of being deferential and timid he is exercises and marching in every schooloften pushing and insolent. He does room, while the windows are to be not give way in the street. He hustles thrown open sufficiently to change the body of Chinese laborers marching this provision is to be rigidly adhered down a narrow street will crowd ladies to in all cases. The foregoing plan of explained to me that, in each new room into the gutter. The Chinese mer-school hours has been in operation for chants, doctors, and others belonging to several weeks, in most if not all of the 'medicine' orders of the tribe were to the better classes, are as polite as French schools, with very beneficial results. men, but the masses of the Chinese There has been a decrease in listlessone of them, I could go with him, if I population on the Pacific coast are rude ness or languor of pupils; cases of cawould sit very quiet in one corner, and and brutal. The chief thing in their tarrh have been fewer, deportment favor is their habit of personal cleanlibetter, and punctuality and regularity

in a corner so near the hearth that, for a long time, controlled by his direction a long time, controlled by his direction and solve the commander of the playcommander. If a man is likely to become ground or by sitting in the schooltions, I was nearly suffocated by the a burden, the other members of his room in a perspiration after excessive room were the dancers, their masks now laid aside. Conspicuous among the white bosses on the vailways that two hours and a half in the forenoon engaged in a long, rhythmical prayer, the way by poison when they think they in accordance with the facts. Classes prostrate Indians who squatted on the told me in Oregon of a Coolie railway pupils march to and from their recita-"What keeps thee in the house, of meat, trays of paper-bread, and was doing well but the many constant sitting, and by a provision "We have work to get baskets of melons were placed in rows insisted on bringing a Chinese doctor furnished with fresh air, while the along the cleared space. A loud prayer to attend him. The doctor came from pupils are exercised in calisthenics and Chinaman less. The death of a cart- of application to study. One great difficulty the employers of Chinese labor have to contend with is fire-god then passed along the array of the superstition of these queer people. Their religious worship consists chiefly in propitiating the malevolent spirits of the dead. If a Chinese domestic fancies the dancers and priests and a group of at once, and leaves an inscription bekeep a servant-longer than a single day. explosion of a blast on a new railway line: One of their fellow workmen declared that just before the explosion he saw two devils come to the opposite

## NORWEGIAN SNOW-SHOE, OR SKEE-RACING.

When the little fire-god took his their names, eager to engage in the few hours, will be read by all the world. relieved him for more than an hour and accidental obstructions, but if there writers, thirty reporters, two telegraph shooting right out into the air and Connery leaves his office came silent, and the chief dancer was as the case may be. To keep one's faithfulness, not only by liberal pay but, Priest of the Sun took him up the lad- the air, are the most difficult feats service. This is the true way to conwish I knew how I could repay thee." der to the roof, where, facing the east, "Perhaps you can," said John, smilhe pronounced in measured, solemn no unusual thing to see even an excelles a long prayer to the waning Sun ent skee-runner plunging headlong into Ex-Governor Bowie's Farm. unced before the multitude (signal- pendent race down the track and tell the in Prince George's county, Md., is an izing the end of each sentence with a spectators of his failure. Properly estate of nearly 1,000 acres of land, lang of his rattles) a metrical ritual of speaking, a skee-race is not a race—not divided into seven fields, besides lots even greater length. Then the spectators gathered around the altar, and two runners rarely start simultaneously, groves of wood, averaging six to 10 hastily said their prayers, the sound of as, in case one of them should fall, the which reminded me of a recitation in other could not possibly stop, and might or bordering streams. Farmer Bowie concert in a large schoolroom. The not even have the time to change his has ice ponds lately stocked with carp sun rose, and they dispersed to their course. He would thus be in danger of and black bass; paddocks for brood running into his competitor, and could hardly avoid maining him seriously. horses. He sold the original flock of BEER AND RAILWAY BUILDING.— If there were several parallel tracks, 14 ewes and one ram of Southdown stock The consumption of beer in the camps at a distance of twenty to thirty feet for the beginning of the Druid Hill of the railway builders is enormous. from each other, there would, of course, Park flock. He is now breeding Cots At Bismarck I saw an entire freight be less risk in having the runners start wolds, of which he has a flock of 150. train of thirty cars laden with bottled together. Usually, a number fall in He has also a herd of Devon cattle, a beer from a Chicago brewery, bound the first run, and those who have not few Jerseys, and 100 head of beef cattle. for the town nearest the end of the fallen then continue the contest until He has 100 horses of all kinds, 26 struction force said that an average of happens, the competition is narrowed He uses 50 bushels or more of lime per one bottle for every tie laid was consumed, and that the tie and the beer matched, a proposal to run without and winter before the field is plowed for the constraint of the summand with a proposal to run without and winter before the field is plowed for the constraint of the constr

> V. Smalley, in the February CENTURY.
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> An exchange says that Herr Most is insane. We question it. It is the man insane. We question it. It is the man cheer their friends as they pass, waving The Governor has tobacco plantations. who pays twenty-five cents to hear him handkerchiefs, and greeting with derise the mishaps which are inseparable from the sport.—From "A New Winter Sport." by H. H. Boyesen, in St. Nicholas for February.
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> Cheer their frends as they pass, waving handkerchiefs, and greeting with derise in another part of the county.
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> "ROUGH ON RATS."—Clears out rats, mice, roaches, flies, ants, bed-bugs, skunks, chipmunks, gophers. 15c.

NO RECESS The Rochester, N. Y., School Board

has ordered that during the next term in the public schools the morning and afternoon recess be abolished, and that the principals be instructed to carry out her way to rest.

The next morning John went out early to see to the horses and cattle.

When he returned to breakfast he obWhen he returned to breakfast he obThe farmer said his customary grace with great unction—"For what we are about to receive, the Lord make us truly thankful!" and John, whose

There is a mistage.

East that the Chinese are humble and submissive, and much put upon and abused by the whites of the Pacific coast.

The morning and afternoon sessions will begin respectively at 9 o'clock A.

M., and 1.30 P. M., and will close at 1.30 A. M. and 3.30 P. M. The seventh, eighth and ninth grades will be disyou as rudely as an English navvy. A air of the room. It is understood that ness. The railroad laborers, who are of attendance have either not been perthe poorest and most ignorant class, wash themselves from head to foot at The pupils, with scarcely any excepand now thee must—what is it to thee party of dancers had retired, a space the end of each day's work. All classes tions, are in favor of the new plan. In are frequent customers of the barber, their report on the change, the School the centre, from the altar down toward who gives minute attention to their Committee add that they are of the eads, faces, ears, and necks.

Among the common laborers their is season is prolific of colds and catarrh, heat. Along the northern side of the gang want to get rid of him as soon as exercise. Furthermore, the idea that them were the two priests, who were the Chinese doctors put sick men out of and two hours in the afternoon, is not cannot be speedily cured. A case was change every twenty minutes, and laborer who had an arm broken. It tions, which greatly relieves the tedium a distant camp and gave the patient a marching. By this plan we shall have dose. In an hour the poor fellow was an unbroken school session, which will dead. In such cases there is no investigation: nobody cares that there is one thought upon the lessons and in power

#### "TOM CONNERY." The New York Herald establishment

s managed by "Tom Connery" (as he

is familiarly called), who has for ten years, shown himself adequate to the there is a ghost in the house he departs important position. He was brought up in the concern and his father was a grotesquely painted with streaks and happens that a family will be unable to little dreamed of his son's wonderful success-which, unfortunately he did earthen kettle-drum at the left side of out giving any reason for his abrupt estimated at \$2,000 per day, and hence As soon as the feast was found in the kitchen or servant's room should draw a salary of \$12,000 per year. It is Bennett's rule to secure the best services without regard to cost. In personal appearance, the manager of the Herald is plain and unassuming One beholds a rather tall and careworn man, whose whole appearance indicates work. His mode of life is plain and ing. Thereupon the whole gang of down at two o'clock and calls the ediforty men dropped work, and could not torial writers into his room, where the regular council is held. The leading questions of the day are discussed, and each man gives his opinion, after which the themes are assigned and the writers return to their offices and proceed with their tasks. The work becomes more place in the centre of the room, no one contest. The track is cleared of all His staff includes a dozen editorial Just as the morning star was rising, coming down either on his feet or any eleven, and then the night editors take the music ceased, the congregation be- other convenient portion of his anatomy charge of the paper. Bennett encourages "Then thee'll stay here, and we'll He adopted the little Rachel, sent her made no vain boast. Woodford says I led to the centre of the room, where he footing, and particularly to prevent the also by the assurance of a pension in was elaborately costumed. Then the skees from becoming crossed while in case of disability, incurred while in his

Governor Bowie's home farm, Fairview

when it is done voluntarily, but not it will be because the Greensboro folks when it is done ander penalty. Some are not capable of appreciating a good cers distributed life saving belts to the

of the Pennsylvania pilots will run into the State of Delaware some of these

The Comment of the property of

one of that Connecticut legislator's constituents ought to mail him a large-print copy of the little story about a man named William Tell.

Here is a little two-for-a-cent joke from the Philadelphia Times: "One cest one of the Papparsylvania pilots will run into.

The valed ictory of the editor, of the garron to expand the procession or lose his back hair.

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of the Pennsylvania pilots will run into the State of Delaware some of these days and afterwards swear that he merely sank a mud turtle with sand on its tail." The Times should not be too severe on Delaware, for though she is little she has given to Philadelphia about as many level-headed, enterprising and successful business men as any other State in the Union. Even the Times without its Delaware brains would not be as good a paper as it is.

Two esthetic cow-boys of Wyoning have ordered of the Colt's Fire-arm Company two revolvers of elaborate workmanship. They want the stock of each revolver of pearl, a horse and rider chased in gold on each side and a heavily-draped woman and birds in the same precious metal on the other side. The barrel and working parts of each are also to be heavily chased and inlaid with gold. The horse and rider purposed to be chased on the arms are probably intended to represent the evidoor of the first victim that is to fall by the richly chased pistols in the hands of the revolution proposed to be chased on the arms are probably intended to represent the evidoor of the first victim that is to fall by the richly chased pistols in the hands of the revolution for the same precious metal on the other side, The barrel and working parts of each are also to be heavily changed woman and place the probably intended to represent the evidoor of the first victim that is to fall by the richly chased pistols in the hands of the red to the richly chased pistols in the hands of the red to th The Portable Electric Lighter.

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PHILADELPHIA MARKETS. WHEAT— Prime red, 105@118 Timothy Seed, 350 Clover Seed, 1 1 8@9c Clover Seed, 1 1 8@9c WHEAT- BALTIMORE MARKETS.

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-Large Sorrel Horse, 15 hands high old, a good farm horse, will work

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No. 7.—Harry, Black Horse, 6 years old, 15½
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good family horse.

No. 8.—Chick Hawk, Sorrel, 4 years old,
sound, will work anywhere, fearless of loco-

Peninsular A. & P. Assoc'n.

On Saturday, January 27th, 1883,

The Annual Reports of the Secretary and reasurer will be submitted, and an election or a Board of Managers to serve for the en-ting year will be held. W. SCOTT WAY, Secretary.

For Sale or to Rent.

For Sale or Rent. PROPERTY now occupied by CANNON ELIASON, on Main street, Middletown, TERRS: = 41,000 Cash, balance on time to the purchaser. If not sold by the 25th of the next, will be for Rent. The Property of the most commodious in Town, and one of the most commonway.

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HE Store-house on Lockwood corner, Main and Broad sts. ossession given March 25, 1882. Also a small Glass Front Store-use, 2 doors from the corner, tossession March 25th, 1862. On the far from the corner, large on Main street, to far from the corner, lately occupied as a arpenter and Machine Shop. Possession mediately. occupied by Wm. Johnson: Possession March 25th, 1883.

These properties are in the heart and cen-ter of the business portion of the town. MARTHA E. CLAYTON, Middletown, Del. FOR RENT.

JOHN LIND, Fieldsboro, Del. For Rent.

A GOOD WHEELWRIGHT STAND in Mid A dletown. Chance for an excellent business. Possession any time before March 25th. Inquire at Transcript Office. jan20-ti For Rent. THE STORE AND DWELLING HOUSE in the town of Cecilion, known as "Me-ges's Corner, considered to be a good business stand. Either separate or together. Posses-sion at once. Apply to or address Janistapri WM. R. FREEMAN. Back Crock Mils, Cecil Co., Md.

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## Valuable Fruit Farm

PUBLIC SALE! At "Smyrna House," SMYRNA, DEL.,

On Wednesday, February 14, 1883, At 11 o'clock, A. M., Farm of 337 1-2 Acres,

he Delaware railroad, near Smyrna, county, to be Sold in 4 PARCELS. White Bed Quilts from 75c to \$2.50 o, at Green Spring Station, on Delaw railroad, same day, at 3 P. M., an Adjoining Tract of 74 1-3 Acres,

Two Large Buffalo Robes at In New Castle county. Land Productive! Buildings Large and Convenient, Lap Robes from Peaches, 100 Acres; Apples, Four Acres; Small Fruits, 30 Acres. Horse Blankets from \$1.00 to \$3.50

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acres, situated at Forest Station. These farms are well located, in fair state of cultivation, good buildings, and two thrifty Peach Orchards, and convenient to churches, schools, ards, and convenient to churches, schools, ards, and convenient to churches, schools, and the sold separate or as whole. Will be sold separate or as whole. Will be sold cheap.

No. 12.—Brick Hill, a beautiful situation and home. ½ mile from Lewisville, in Cecil county. 257 acres, elegant soil, well improved, solon, and good farm buildings brick mand sion, and good farm buildings are solon, and good farm buildings.

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To Painters and Others. ALEXANDER MONRO, Practical Grainer from New York. Any one wishing a good job of graining should address him at

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find that we have a larger stock

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we wish to have on hand at this

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Suits from \$3.90 to \$7.50;

thirty-eight Children's Suits

Also, twenty-five Ladies

Dolmans, handsomely trimmed,

from \$9 to \$12; five colored Jackets, trimmed with plush, from \$6.50 to \$11; fifteen square Wool Shawls from 75c.

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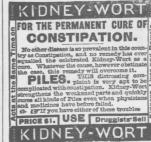
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Dividend Notice. THE DIRECTORS have this day declared a Dividend or Four Pag (Exr. for the last six months, clear of taxes, payable on and after the 10th inst. Jos. L. GIBSON, Jans-4t.

Miscellaneous Adv'ts.

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#### LOCAL AFFAIRS

Town Notes. - Another fall of snow came last night and the sleighs are out again. - The early days of this week were

very severe on one's stock of coal.

— Reserved seat tickets for the "Two Orphans" are on sale at the post-office. A long list of public sales in this neighborhood is announced for February.

 Jacob Cochran shot an owl on Satur-

to tip.

— There will be preaching by the past at Armstrong's Chapel on Sunday after-noon at 2.30 o'clock.

— The stock of clothing of Philip Less,

who has been in business in Middletown for several years, is advertised to be sold by the Sheriff on February 6th. — At Tatman's corner during this week

the thermometer at 7 A. M. has registered as follows: Monday, 18; Tuesday, 8; Wednesday, 5; Thursday, 32; Friday, 20. - George G. Rowe, the paper hanger, will go on his business tours hereafter in a lettered wagon that looks like the ve-hicle of an advance agent for a patent medi-

- Colonel Joseph Hanson has returned

— The Town Commissioners have appointed the following board of health for Middletown: Dr. G. G. Chamberlaine, G. E. Hukill, T. W. Bucke, N. Williams, W. P. Biggs. The board has not yet or-

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— Robert Hardcastle, of the firm of Hall, Shenk & Co., Philadelphia, has gone to Florida to remain until April first. His health has been poor for some time and he goes to the land of orange groves to he goes to the land of orange groves to

— A list of letters remaining in the post

Prayer meeting at two o'clock every afternoon. The classes will meet at 6.45 in the evening and prayer meeting will follow at 7.30. Rev. A. T. Scott is expected to

preach on Sunday evening.

— Mr. Joseph Biggs started for the West on Wednesday, where he will spend the remainder of the winter, mainly in Colrado and New Mexico. The main pur-

- Middletown will not ask for mu attention from the Legislature this winter. We learn that the Town Commissioners will present a petition praying that power be granted them to borrow money to provide the town with means of protection against fire. This is a good move and the tition will no doubt be generally signed

by our property holders.

— We are informed by good authority that our report last week of the caucus ballot for State Treasurer was not correct, authority a tally-sheet of the vote which gives the following result: First ballot— Houston, 14; Nowland, 10; Cavender, 5. Second ballot—Houston, 15; Nowland, 10; Second ballot—Houston, 15; Nowland, 10; Cavender, 2; blank, 2. Our first report gave the Sussex man 16 on the second

— Mr. M. N. Willits has gathered his ice crop and is happy. He has about 500 as in his house and expects to supply Middletown and Odessa during the sumer. In the melting months the regular visits of an ice wagon to one's door are welcome visits indeed, and we have no doubt but Mr. Willits' enterprise in this direction will be rewarded by the general nage of the towns he has arranged Previous to the beginning of nmer season he will publish a card

Lord & Polk, the Odessa phosphate manufacturers, have begun shipping "Truxillo Guano" south, where they have made a large and rapidly increasing and for their fertilizers. On Tuesday and yesterday cars loaded with "Truxillo" and consigned to persons at Norfolk,
Va., left the Middletown depot. The firm have now on the track here one hundred tons of rough bone from Chicago.

From the present outlook their business calf and when it was led out the very first this recently the formula here. his year will be far more extensive than

— Those wild were cluster for a lecture in Middletown Hall during February have ported Jerseys this winter. The calf, he Middletown Hall during February have ported Jerseys this winter. The calf, he learned of the Redpath Lyceum Bureau that his dates are full until April first. pocket-book wouldn't stand the strain.

turned to Middletown last evening.

The real estate of John Tweed, north of Newark, was offered at public sale on Thursday of last week, and the highest

20th of June next.

— The school directors of Smyrna will ask the Legislature for power to borrow will doubtless receive from an intelligent \$16,000 with which to buy two acres of

Governor's first appointment. - The Rev. Cyrus P. Huntington, pastor of Dover Presbyterian Church and Chaplain of the House of Representatives,

about two months ago.

— Dr. Barber, rector of Christ P. E. Church at Cambridge, which was recently

and resolved to wrester with the olovering question: "Resolved, That pathetic writings have had a greater influence on the world than humorous writings." In referring to noted humorous works we hope the negative side will not forget the dictionary and Congressional Record.

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Two young farmers of this neighbor-good, both admirers of fine stock, visited a recent sale of imported Jersey cattle at Herkness', in Philadelphia, one of them intending to be a purchaser. He at first night he would buy a cow, but upor Jersey as he could stand at once. He selected a calf about two months old and made up his mind that he would bid it up calf and when it was led out the very first call and when it was led dot do very mis-bid was \$500. In a few minutes it was bid up to \$850, at which price it was sold to a fancy stock man. Our Middletown farmer

that his dates are full until April first.

Summoning Special Jurors.

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Sheriff Martin has summoned the eighten as spend. Those who have never heard him discourse on the "Rise and Fall of the Mustache" should hear him the first opportunity, if they don't want to miss a good thing.

— Several of our exchanges have perhaps done an injustice to our esteemed friend Hoffecker, of the Sinyrna Times, in the manner in which they have commented upon our little article of last week in the manner in which they have contented upon our little article of last week the whole thing was a joke at Brother Hoffecker's exponse, as every body who reads the Transcorpus of the things that appear in this some of the things that appear in this some of the things that appear in the some of our exchanges have perhaps done an injustice to our esteemed friend Hoffecker's exponse, as every body who reads the Transcorpus when the first open of the things that appear in this some of the things that appear in the sound like they have been "boiled earnest, after they have been "boiled down" or added to by some of our exchanges.

The Repbold Case.

Benj. Benjon has deeided to discontinue business in Middletown and advertises his stock at cost.

The Lycoum.

The Lycoum meeting on Monday evening agent gets sheed of our Middle and proposed and wastended by about twenty-five canvassing agent gets sheed of our Middle and proposed to the proposed and the state of the proposed and the state of the proposed and the state of the proposed and wastended by about twenty-five taker. "Oh, yes," said the agent, "we trade for almost any sort of merchandise—anything that is staple, in fact." "Come around then," said George, and I'll give and the names were added to the roll. Owing to the absence of several persons are asset?" "I'll trade you a colling to the absence of several persons as safe?" "I'll trade you a colling to the absence of several persons as safe?" "I'll trade you a colling to the absence of several persons as safe?" "I'll trade you a colling to the absence of several persons as safe?" "I'll trade you a colling to the absence of several persons as safe?" "I'll trade you a colling to the bour of going to press the agent hand." "I trade you a colling to the bour of going to press the agent hand." "I trade you a colling to the bour of going to press the agent hand." "I trade you a colling to the bour of going to press the agent hand." "I will be elected, and other business of importance will be trade for a sold the same were alded to the recipits of the association." The second to the recipits of the association will be elected, and other business of importance will be controlled to the recipits of the association will be elected, and other business of importance will be controlled to the recipits of the association of the recipits of the association." The congregation of the persy server to have been as follows: For the past year to have been as follows: For the persons of the past year to have been as follows: For admissions, 2,911.55; for track entrance fees, \$1,00.00; for privileges, \$90.00; from all other sources, \$1,00.00; for privileges, \$90.00; from all other sources, \$1,00.00; for privileges, \$90.00; for privileges, \$90.00; from all other sources, — A long list of public sales in this nuch pleased with it that he presented neighborhood is announced for February.

— Jacob Cochran shot an owl on Saturation and propriately engraved with his and the recipient's initials. Mr. Jones related to the propriate propria is certainly a question with "two sides" good and exhibitors and visitors were well to it, and we have no doubt but the discussion will be very interesting. Let us with the fair, but they would have been The brig Mary McMenamin sailed from New Castle for England on Monday,

Aside from the debate there will be perbate from the debate from the debate there will be perbate from the debate from th — The brig Mary McMenamin sailed from New Castle for England on Monday, with 56,000 bushels of corn.

— About twenty cases will come up for trial before the court of General Sessions, which convenes at Wilmington on February 5th.

— The real estate of John Tweed, north of Nowerk was offered at public selection. The seal estate of John Tweed, north of Nowerk was offered at public selection. of Newark, was offered at public sale on Thursday of last week, and the highest bid, \$13,250, was offered by ex-Senator James H. Ray, of Newark. The property dred and ten dollars. This, we are glad to be able to say, will soon be paid, five - Colonel Joseph Hanson has returned from his pleasure trip and is looking as healthy and good natured as usual. Ho visited Baltimore, Philadel phia, New York and Albany.

The directors of the Rehoboth Beach Hotel Company have decided to build a hotel at Rehoboth Beach and have it completed and ready for occupancy by the please of the Lyceum naving volunteered to raise by subscription the necessary amount within thirty days. Mr. W.

P. Biggs is the chairman of this committee of five, and what he starts out to do he generally does. When clear of debt, and with the encouragement it deserves and

our State. Our community ought to be proud of such an institution and should give it hearty encouragement.

community, we have no doubt but the so-ciety will grow in influence even more

Explosion at Marley Mills. Church at Cambridge, which was recently pose of his trip is to visit his son, who has resided in Colorado for several years, but at present is connected with a government survey corps in New Mexico.

— Mr. Charles Tatman, Jr., left Middletown on Monday for an extended tour in the South. He will visit a brother residing at Ville Platte, Louisiana, whom he has not seen for forty-two years, and will spend a short season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown about the first of March.

— Middletown will not ask for much is defined and seven in the South. He will visit a brother residence of the disaster on the Southern Pacific railroad last Friday night, was a native of the disaster on the Southern of Mrs. W. New Years and will spend a short season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown will not ask for much is will not ask for much in Middletown will not ask for much is season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown will not ask for much is season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown will not ask for much is season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown will not ask for much is season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown will not ask for much is season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown will not ask for much is season in each of the principal Southern cities. He expects to return to Middletown about the first of March.

— Middletown will not ask for much is the residual proposed in the relicition of state the state of Monday morning last, by which two men were killed and seven injured. About six o'clock one of the large rotary boilers, which is a fertile explosion occurred at the Marley Paper Mills.

— The Crumpton debating society has tackled the following question: "Which two men were killed and seven injured. About six o'clock one of the large Kent county and a brother of Mrs. W. N.

E. Wickes, of Chestertown. He had resided in San Francisco for several years.

— Many of those engaged in the oyster business declare that the natural oyster business declare that the control of packers say that the supply is far short of the demand, and that the Chesapeake beds are rapidly failing.

— The Cecilion Library Association, who are endeavoring to found a public library in their town, will hold a festival on the evenings of Thursday and Friday of next week to help fill their treasury. The obevenings of interesting and rinary of next interesting week to help fill their treasury. The object of the association is a laudable one McKnight are believed to be fatally in a guesser. But almost any person can make ject of the association is a laudable one ject of the association is a landation of a landau property of the people of Cedition and neighborhood should give the movement hearty chinery is estimated at \$16,000. Hundreds blizzards and things distributed along in of persons from the surrounding country their proper places, and are not afraid of The Salisbury literary society, which has been quietly sleeping for some time, reorganized on one evening of last week and resolved to wrestle with the follow-part of the paper on which the Philadel-part of the paper of the paper on which the Philadel-part of the paper of the paper of

Bob Burdette.

Bob Burdette, of the Burlington Hawkeye, in his rambling lecture tour along
the Peninsula, should not fail to take in
Newark.—Newark Ledger.
We beg leave to inform our esteemed
contemporary of Newark that Bob Burdeth is not rabbin. dette is not making, and does not intend to make a "rambling lecture tour of the Peninsula." Bob is not that sort of a clothespin. Besides, he doesn't "take in" any town, in either of the two popular meanings ot the term. He only comes may surprise the Ledger to hear that the "Hawkeye Man" is engaged for every week day night until the first of April, at \$75 or more per night and hotel expenses. If Newark wants Bob it can probably get him at about that rate, after the first of April. And if it does, the TRANSCRIPT will gives its bond that Bob will neither

evening of next week, that promises to be a very pleasing event. "Mother Goose' will hold a reception at 7.30 o'clock and afterwards a delighting little operetta entitled "Bobby Shaftoe," will be presented. At the close of the entertainment girls in peasant costume will serve suc palatable refreshments as ovsters, terraping chicken salad, ice cream and cake. The proceeds will go into the treasury of the mite society of the church. The rates of admission will be found in an advertise

ence of the Transcript Odessa's Jubilee

it was the middle of the week, but at

night the house was crowded with peopl

the TRANSCRIPT.

Written for the Middletown Transcript. THE SNOW'S SERMON.

As I sit in the tender gloaming And watch the flakes flit by; As one by one they softly come Then lay them down to die;

I often think, as I watch them, Of the lessons they may teach; And each and all, as they gently fall, This sermon seem to preach:

If each thought itself too little
To help make a carpet of white,
And if it pined and stayed behind
And winged not in its flight,

The skies would ne'er be cloudy, The snow would never fall; Our carpet white of snowflakes by Would ne'er be made at all.

The moral of their sermon
I'm sure you plain must see,
So do your part with a willing heart,
And happy you will be.

-E. A.

FILLING AME.—At his residence near Bo hemia Mills, on Jan. 9th, 1883, of pneumonia after a short illness, John W. Fillingame, ir the 46th year of his age.

CFIFTON-PLUMMER.—At the Machesapeake City, on December 20th 1882 lev. Irwin L. Canton, George W. Clifton adelaide Plummer.

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the season and the fact that some of the who were expected to participate in the exercises could not be present, caused The large brick and frame barn on the Hollingsworth farm, on the New Castle road, about two and a half miles from Wilmington, was entirely destroyed by fire Friday night, a number of animals being consumed in the flames. The building was a two-story structure, and one of the largest in the county. The main portion, built entirely of brick, was about 75 feet ulpit was a memoral tablet, headed The large brick and frame barn on the square, and was occupied as a stable for horses on the ground floor, the second story being used as a threshing and grain floor. Adjoining the briak rootton. story being used as a threshing and grain floor. Adjoining the brick portion was a two story frame structure, the lower portion of which was used as a cow stable; hay, grain and fodder being kept on the second floor. South of the barn proper were extensive sheds for cattle and storage purposes, which almost entirely covered a yard over 100 feet square. In the brick portion were four horses, a fine six year-old stallion, of Hambletonian stock, two mules and a cow and calf. On the The Rev. Cyrus P. Huntington, pastofice at Middletown, Del., for the week chading January ISth, 1882 : Jerome-Biddle, Edward Daniels, Andrew Hurn. Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

The peach trees are in blossom, down in Florida, and the Jacksonville Times has announced the reception of a sprig containing twenty-six blooms from a Baker county tree. Baker county is blow the frost line and peaches are marketed there in May.

An Odessa correspondent in this issue of the Taxascript supplements our report of the St. Paul semi-centennial celebration with an interesting communication containing many important items about the jublie that we were unable to get in time for our last issue.

The Rev. Cyrus P. Huntington, pastor of Dover Presbyterian Church and Chapitan of the House of Representatives, was married on Thursday of last week to Miss Clara Fulton, daughter of J. Alex Whittock and Miss Rachael A. Appleton, Esq., near Odessa, on Wednesday and the Jacksonville Times have been connected with the church from the beginn and event of the St. Paul semi-centennial celebration with an interesting communication containing many important items about the jublie et hat we were unable to get in time for our last issue.

The Rev. Cyrus P. Huntington, pastor of Dover Presbyterian Church Murray, and the post of Dover Presbyterian Church while the Appleton, Esq., will be nominal stock, and the Jackson Willows and a cow and calf. On the bride's father, H. Appleton, Esq., near Odessa, on Wednesday and the Jackson Willows and a cow and calf. On the bride state, H. Appleton, Esq., near Odessa, on Wednesday and the Jackson Willows and a cow and calf. On the bride portion, in the bride's father, H. Appleton, Esq., near Odessa, on Wednesday and the Jackson Willows and a cow and calf. On the bride state, H. Appleton, Esq., near Odessa, on Wednesday and the Jackson Willows and a cow and calf. On the bride's father, H. Appleton, Esq., will be nearly cown on the second floor were a new threshing man pox in Talbot county since the disease appeared there in the fall. Only six deaths have been reported.

— Crisfield has spent a thousand dollars in ridding the town of small-pox, which prevailed there to an alarming extent about two months ago.

— Dr. Barber, rector of Christ P. E. Church at Cambridge, which was recently.

ems to know how to do this, and is not

THURSDAY, FEB. 8 .- Public sale of stock and farm implements by William W. Walker, near Odessa.

Monday, February 12th.—Public sal

of live stock and farm implements by Mrs. Templeman, near Jamison's Corner New Castle county.
Tuesday, Feb. 13.—Public sale of liv. stock and farm implements by Mrs. M.

E. Collins, near Taylor's Bridge, Del. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14th.—Public sale of live stock and farm implements by T. R. Hopkins, near Jamison's Corner, New EATON—PIERCE.—At the residence of bride's parents, in Warwick, Md., on the inst., by the Rev. J. B. Jones, Horace Eaton and Miss Fannie P. Pierce.

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